

M 7.8, SOUTH OF THE FIJI ISLANDS

Origin Time: Sun 2007-12-09 07:28:20 UTC

Location: 25.87°S 177.52°W Depth: 149 km

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Created: 3 hrs, 48 mins after earthquake

Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

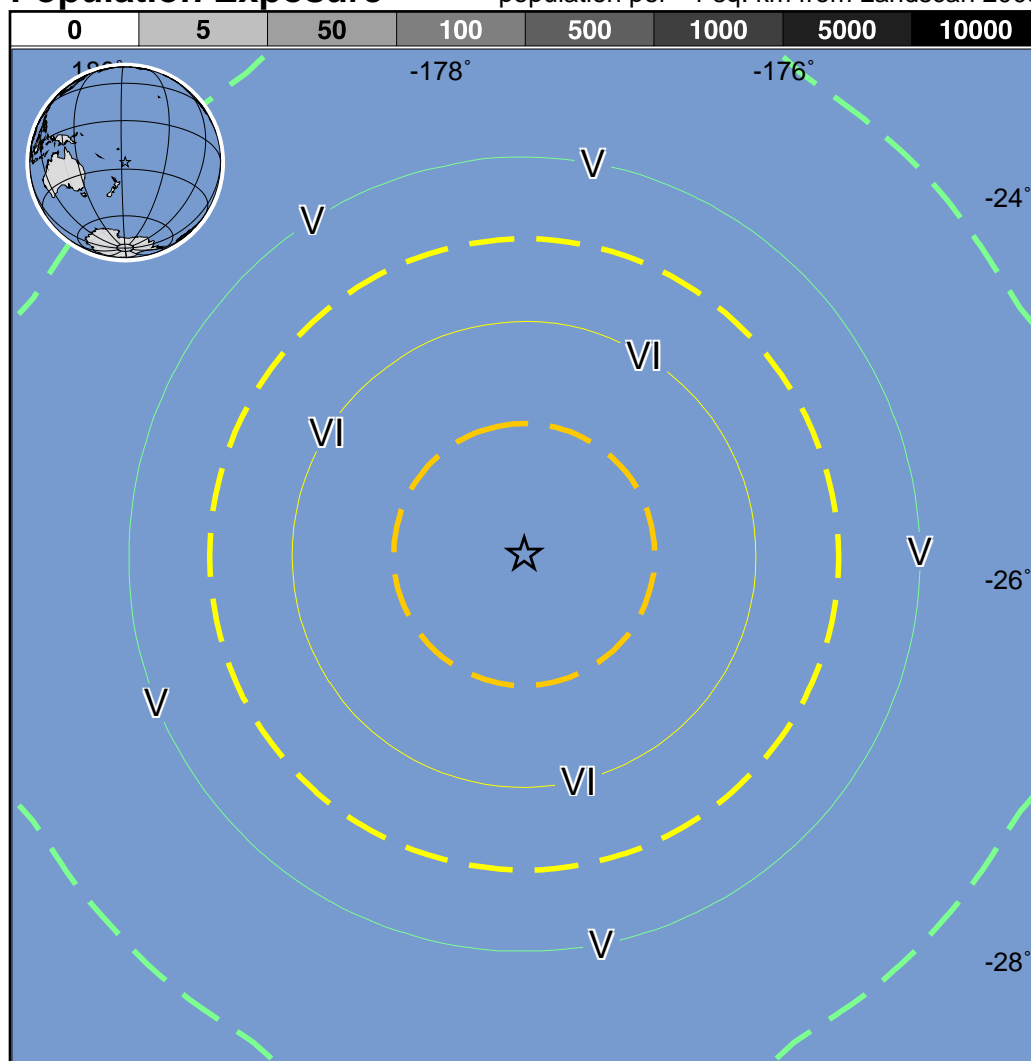
ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k = x1000)		--*	--*	--*	0	0	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY		I	II-III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVED SHAKING		Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	none	none	none	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	none	none	none	Light	Moderate	Moderate/Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

*Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

Population Exposure

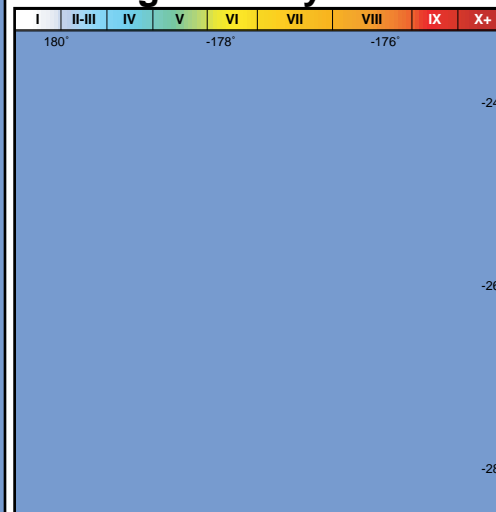
population per ~1 sq. km from Landsat 2005

Selected City Exposure



MMI City	Population
bold cities appear on map	(k = x1000)

Shaking Intensity



The location of this earthquake is in ocean waters more than 200 nautical miles from the nearest coastline. It is unlikely that this event will cause shaking-related damage in populated regions. However, large magnitude ($M > 7.0$) earthquakes at shallow depths may produce ocean-wide tsunami waves that could affect nearby coastal communities. For more information on the latest tsunami warnings, see <http://tsunami.gov/>

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